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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

THURSDAY, *December* 30, 1756.

PARIS, *September* 27.

FROM two ſuſpected Perſons, lately apprehended at Morlaix, ſeveral Particulars are ſaid to have been learned, concerning a grand Expedition carrying on in England, which is to be put into Execution in the Spring; the Operations in America being to commence in May, with the Attack of Quebec, by a Fleet of fifteen Ships of the Line, and 15,000 Marines. Two principal Sea-Officers have been ſent for ſince from Breſt to Court, to receive Inſtructions, as 'tis ſuppoſed, concerning Meaſures to diſconcert this Project.

LEIPSICK, *(a City in Upper Saxony, in Germany, 42 Miles N. W. of Dreſden, ſubject to the King of Poland) Sept.* 18. The King of Poland has abſolutely rejected all Conditions that clath with thoſe which he offered to the King of Pruſſia in his Anſwer to that Prince's Declaration. Beſides the ſtrong Inſtances for Succour which he has made to ſeveral Powers, his Poliſh Majeſty has declared, *That he would wait in his Army for the Deciſion of Events; that if the Pruſſians attempted to force him there, he would ſtand their Efforts; that he and his Troops would ſell their Lives dearly, if neceſſary; and that he would ſuffer himſelf to be cruſhed behind his Intrenchments, rather than bear the Yoke which they intended to put him under.* The ſame Prince, as he was reviewing his Army, told his Troops, *That they had no other Courſe to take but to fight, or to periſh glorioufly, if it be their Fate to be borne down by the Enemy's Superiority: That as for himſelf, ſeeing his Country ravaged and ſpoiled, his Life was entirely at his Subjects Service, and the reſt he would commit to Heaven.*

Leipſick, Sept. 19. On the 13th ſixty Barges which came up the Elbe paſſed by Dreſden, laden with Meal and Proviſions for the Pruſſian Army. Saxony is ſo much exhauſted by ſupplying her new Gueſts, that the Price of Grain is four Times as much as it was before their Arrival; and laſt Monday at Ten in the Morning no Bread was to be had of the Bakers of Dreſden at any Price. Four and Twenty Ovens are indeed employed Night and Day at Neuſtadt on the Elbe; but the Bread is ſent away to the Pruſſian Army the Moment it is baked; ſo that our Country People get not ſo much as the Smell of it.

The ſtrongeſt Demonſtrations of undaunted Courage and unſhaken Loyalty have made his Poliſh Majeſty ſenſible of what he may expect from his Troops; both Officers and Soldiers having proteſted, "That ſince all their Reſource lies in deſperate Efforts, a Deluge of Blood ſhall grace their Fall, and make their Ruin glorious."

Berlin, October 3. This Morning, about ſeven o'Clock, an Officer in the Guards arrived here from the Pruſſian Camp in Bohemia, in 39 Hours; he had no Letters from any Body, but only a ſhort Note to the Queen-Mother, wrote by the King himſelf on the Field of Battle, acquainting her Majeſty with his having gained a complete Victory over the Auſtrians, which coſt him 2000 Men. The Particulars that have been collected from the Officer are, That on the 30th of September the King of Pruſſia's Army moved from their Camp at Auſſig; that when they came to the Ground they were to occupy that Night, they perceived ſome Tents pitched, which they took to be an advanced Guard, or ſome ſmall out Party of Auſtrians; but that his Pruſſian Majeſty had the Precaution to make his Army remain under Arms all Night; and early in the Morning, the firſt of October, obſerved ſome Motions among the Enemy, which very ſoon ſhewed that the whole Auſtrian Army were preparing to attack him: That the King of Pruſſia made the proper Diſpoſitions, according to his Ground, and, about ſeven in the Morning, the Auſtrians attacked with great Fury the left Wing of the Pruſſians, and the Action continued very hot till Half an Hour paſt One, when the Auſtrians gave Way, but retired in good Order; and, to cover their Retreat, burnt the Town of Lowoſits, in which they had a Magazine. The Number of the Auſtrians under Marſhal Brown are ſaid to be about 60,000, and the Pruſſian Army from 35 to 40,000 only, by Reaſon of ſeveral Detachments left to guard the Paſſes in the Mountains, and on the Elbe. The King had under him his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Pruſſia, Prince Ferdinand of Brunſwick, and Marſhal Keith, having left his Brothers the Princes Henry and Ferdinand, with many other General Officers, in his Camp at Sedelitz. A diſtinct Relation of the Action is daily expected.

LONDON.

Sept. 30. The King of Pruſſia, after making Repreſentations to the States-General in Favour of England's Demands of Succours, has ordered his Miniſter to demand, in his Pruſſian Majeſty's own Name, a ſpeedy and poſitive Declaration, *Whether their High Mightineſſes will grant to the King of Great-Britain the Succours ſtipulated by Treaty, or whether they will refuſe them, and for what Reaſons.* The Pruſſian Miniſter has added, by expreſs Order of the King his Maſter, That the King of Pruſſia, provided their High Mightineſſes will grant with a good Grace the Succours they owe to Great-Britain, offers the Republic his Support and Aſſiſtance againſt any Power whatſoever that ſhall moleſt her on that Account.

October 2. Whoever conſults the Maps of North-America, muſt be convinced, that Quebec might be attacked with as great a Probability of Succeſs, as Crown-Point or Fort du Peſne. Nothing is more certain, than that when the Head is lopp'd off, the inferior Members will fall of Courſe: Why, then, is not this effectual Step attempted?

An American Gentleman of great Character for his Judgment and Knowledge of thoſe Countries, declares, and peremptorily inſiſts upon it, that the eaſieſt Conqueſt the Engliſh can attempt in North-America, is that of its Metropolis, Quebec.

We hear that the Duke of Richmond, Lord Viſcount Downe, and Lord Viſcount Howe, are going Volunteers into the Pruſſian Army.

A Letter from Alicant of the 1ſt Inſtant ſays, that Admiral Hawke's Fleet put in, about ten Days before, at Altiera, a Place 5 Miles diſtant from thence, in order to take in freſh Proviſions and Water; that the Ships Companies were in good Health and high Spirits; and that Sir Edward Hawke purpoſed to ſail again in a few Days upon a Cruize.

The late Account of Sir Edward Hawke's having re-aſſumed his Station off Mahon is confirmed by various Letters from Leghorn, as is alſo the taking of ſeveral Tartans bound for that Iſland from Toulon, but neither the Number or Cargoes ſpecified.

Letters received Yeſterday from Leghorn adviſe, that Sir Edward Hawke had ſent two Men of War thither, to demand the Liberty of Capt. Fortunatus Wright, and allowed them only 24 Hours to conſider of it.

October 5. It is ſaid, that the Night before his Pruſſian Majeſty ſat out on his preſent grand Expedition, there was not the leaſt Suſpicion of ſuch his Intentions. There was a Ball at Court, and every Thing correſponded with the Name of his Palace and appeared as *ſans ſouci* as could be. At the Concluſion of the Ball, his Majeſty aſked Mr. Mitchell, our Ambaſſador, *What Time he got up in a Morning, and whether he could Breakfaſt with him by Four o'Clock that Morning?* Mr. Mitchell failed not to wait upon his Majeſty at the Hour appointed; when the King aſked him *If he would take a Day's Hunting with him?* Mr. Mitchell, ſurpriſed at the Kind of Honour that was offered him, replied "He "was extremely unfortunate in not being equipp'd for ſuch "an Occaſion." However, he accompanied the King for ſeveral Miles in a Poſt-Chaiſe till they came to the very Place where his Army was aſſembled, which had been ordered thither by different Routs, and without the leaſt Knowledge of their farther Deſtination. Upon this his Majeſty ſaid to Mr. Mitchell,——*It is with theſe I am going to hunt in Saxony; ſend* (the King of England) *my Uncle Word, I am doing his Buſineſs for him.*

The Friendſhip, Lee, from London for Maryland; Kitty, Bell, from Virginia for London; William and *Mary*, Guyen, from St. Chriſtophers for London; Dolphin, Engreham, from Rhode-Iſland for Rotterdam; and the Newport Packet, Giles, from Scilly for Topſham, are all taken, and carried into Bayonne.

October 7. The Anſon Privateer, of Liverpool, has taken a large Ship from St. Domingo for Nantz, of 14 Guns, four Pounders, and 40 Men: Her Cargo conſiſts of 268 Hogſheads of Sugar, 18,000 lbs. of Indico, 14,000 lbs. of Coffee, and 30,000 lbs. of Cotton, beſides ſeveral other Goods. It is ſaid the Captain of the Prize offered ſo large a Ranſom, that it is thought he had a large Quantity of Specie on board. The Ship has been brought into Liverpool.

Wagers have been offered, That the King of Pruſſia will keep his Chriſtmas at Vienna.

Extract of a Letter from Barcelona to a Merchant in Pool, dated Auguſt 28.

"Three Days ago our Fleet kept its Station off Mahon, and had taken in all about 30 Sail of French Veſſels, moſtly laden with Proviſions, which, it is affirmed, they began to be in great Want of in Minorca, which may probably induce the French Fleet to go and face Sir Edward Hawke."

Extract of a Letter from Deal, October 7.

"His Majeſty's Sloop the Diſpatch, Capt. Holbourn, Nephew of the Admiral of the ſame Name, met Yeſterday Evening, about five o'Clock, off Fairlie, a French Privateer of 18 Guns, ſix and nine Pounders, with 170 Men, and engaged her two Hours. The Diſpatch loſt her Lieutenant of Marines, and two Seamen, and had twelve wounded. Capt. Holbourn was three Times carried off the Deck, and as often came up again, and fought the Ship very gallantly. The Privateer boarded him twice, and did him great Damage, but at laſt ſheered off. The Diſpatch was very much ſhattered both in Hull and Rigging. Capt. Holbourn is now on board, dangerouſly ill of two Wounds, which are feared to be mortal. It is but a Fortnight ſince this brave Officer received his Commiſſion. Our Sloops of War commonly mount but 12 or 14 Guns, with 80 or 100 Men at moſt.

October 22. Wedneſday laſt the Endeavour Privateer of Weymouth, Capt. Downton, in Company with the Earl of Granville Privateer, brought into Portſmouth the St. Nicholas, a Swediſh Ship, Burthen 200 Tons, and 12 Carriage Guns, bound from Marſeilles to Havre de Grace.

St. JOHN'S, (in *Antigua*) *October* 30.

The private Sloop of War Frankland, Capt. Dungum (of this Iſland) has taken and carried into St. Kitts, a French Letter of Marque Schooner, with a large Quantity of warlike Stores, and 80 Hogſheads of Sugar on board.

Nov. 6. This Day was held here a Court of Admiralty, when the Dutch Sloop Petronella and Elizabeth, (whereof Benjamin Newbold was Maſter, and Monſieur Zeit, a Frenchman, Supercargo;) taken by the Brigantine Johnſon, Captain Grigg, Commander, a New-York Privateer, was condemn'd.

NEW-YORK, *December* 12.

Wedneſday Evening laſt arrived here from Albany, his Excellency John Earl of Loudoun, accompanied by ſeveral Gentlemen of the Army.

Yeſterday came up the Harlequin Privateer Sloop, Capt. Haley, of this Port, and brought in with her a fine large rich new French Snow, called the Morning-ſtar, Monſieur ——, bound from Martinico to Havre de Grace. Her Loading is 200 Hogſheads of Sugar, and ſundry of Coffee, with Cotton, Cocoa, &c. valued at about 20,000 l. This is the ſecond valuable Prize brought into this Harbour by the Harlequin.

The Captain of the Prize informed Capt. Haley, that there were 54 Privateers out of the Iſland of Martinico; and that an Engliſh Snow Privateer of 14 Carriage Guns, and an Engliſh Brig, were both carried in there.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Newport, to his Friend in Boſton, dated December 2.

Incloſed is an Extract of a Letter juſt received from a Gentleman in Amſterdam, dated October 11.

"On the 30th of September laſt, the King of Pruſſia, at the Head of 35,000 of his Troops, on his March near Bohemia, met the Bohemian Army, conſiſting of 40,000 Men, under General Brown, and gave them Battle. The Engagement began at 7 in the Morning, and continued till 1 o'Clock in the Afternoon, and then ended in Favour of his Pruſſian Majeſty: The Bohemians had 4000 Men kill'd on the Spot; and the principal Part of their Officers, and a great Number of Soldiers, taken Priſoners.——The Pruſſians loſt in the Action 2000 Men.——That they daily expected to hear of another Battle being fought between the Pruſſian Army and the Saxons."——To confirm the above,

"Capt. Boadman, who unfortunately fell into the Enemy's Hands, on his Paſſage to Europe, and came Paſſenger in this Veſſel, and with whom I have particularly converſed, gives me the following very agreeable Account (tho' in ſome Reſpects very different from what my Friend has wrote me), He ſays, There have been three Actions between the Pruſſians and Auſtrians, in all which the former had greatly the Advantage:——That the grand and laſt Battle was fought on the 6th of October:——That the King of Pruſſia, at the Head of 35,000 of his Troops, engaged the Auſtrian Army near Bohemia, conſiſting of 70,000, commanded by General Brown:——That he had killed and taken Priſoners 24,000, among which were their principal Officers; and had poſſeſſed himſelf of all their Baggage, &c.——That his Pruſſian Majeſty had his Horſe twice ſhot from under him, loſt 12,000 Men in the Action; and that a General (Brother to the King) whoſe Title he had forgot, was much wounded, but likely to recover:——That the King of Pruſſia had marched an Army within 60 Miles of Holland; had demanded of the States-General a categorical Anſwer, what Part they deſign to take in the preſent War, which he left at their Option, and had allowed them but 36 Days to determine and reply:——That their High Mightineſſes had upon this important Occaſion, aſſembled at the Hague under the greateſt Dilemma:——That the Hanoverian and German Powers had raiſed 60,000 Troops, which were in Readineſs to join the Pruſſians; and that another Engagement was daily expected:——That Admiral Hawke was cruizing off Minorca, and had taken 50 Tranſport Veſſels bound there; and 8 valuable Merchantmen.——That a Guernſey Privateer of 20 Guns, had, in one Week, taken and carried into Port 8 valuable Prizes:——That the Tygreſs Privateer of Briſtol, had ſent in a rich Prize valued at 20,000l. Sterling:——That on the 9th of October laſt, in a very violent Gale of Wind, 45 Sail of Ships, chiefly Dutch, were loſt upon the Banks of the Texel; among which were 2 Dutch Men of War of 20 and 40 Guns, 3 Dutch India Men, and 10 Sail of Engliſh Ships; and a great Number of Souls periſh'd."——Theſe Facts the Captain aſſures me may be relied on, and declares he read the Accounts of the Battle in the public Prints; and which was further confirmed by a Letter from a Captain in the Pruſſian Service, to his Brother; which he alſo ſaw.

PHILADELPHIA, December 16.

Monday laſt arrived here the Ship Carolina, Capt. Duncan, from London, but laſt from Portſmouth, in 7 Weeks Paſſage. There are no late Papers by the Veſſel. General Blakeney was not arrived from Gibraltar; but daily expected. Admiral Byng's Trial had not come on, but it was generally believed he would be ſhot. The Account of the Loſs of Oſwego had got to England before the Ship ſailed, which ſhocked the People much, but it had not been publiſhed in the Gazette.

In a Letter from Dublin, dated the 28th of September, it is ſaid, That Detachments from ſeveral Regiments on the Iriſh Eſtabliſhment, to the Number of 1600 Men, with General O Farrell's Regiment, were then aſſembled at Cork, in order to embark on board nineteen Tranſports for North-America, and to ſail under Convoy of three Men of War, which lay ready for them.

Captain Alliſon, arrived here from Antigua, brought Paſſenger with him Captain Marſh (late of the Ship Elliſon, belonging here) who was taken on his Paſſage from London to Jamaica by a French Privateer, and carried to Martinico, from whence he got to Antigua in a Flag of Truce.

His

His Majesty's Ship the Briſtol has taken and carried into Barbados, a French Ship with Dry Goods, bound to St. Domingo from Nantz.

ANNAPOLIS, December 30.

Laſt Tueſday arrived here from *Briſtol*, (which Place he left the latter End of *October*) Capt. *John Cole*, in the Snow *Eugene*; but has brought no public Prints: And heard nothing in *Briſtol* of his *Pruſſian* Majeſty's having gain'd a ſecond Victory.

Capt. *Cole*, on his Paſſage, in Latitude 36°. 39′ and Longitude from the *Lizard* 58°. 30′ was taken on the 28th of *November* by a *French* Letter of Marque Ship, called the *Grand Joſeph*, Capt. *Julian Fraybeart*, with 14 Six Pounders, and 45 Hands, and Ranſom'd his Snow and Cargo. This *French* Ship was Part of a Fleet of 45 Sail, who ſail'd from *Cape Francois* for *Nantz*, under Convoy of 5 Men of War of the Line, and 2 Frigates; who treated Capt. *Cole* very civilly after he had taken him.

Capt. *Cole* has brought in Sixty-eight of his Majeſty's SEVEN YEAR PASSENGERS, who had too much INGENUITY to be ſuffer'd to live in *England*.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ANNAPOLIS, Enter'd,
Schooner Anſon, Henry Coſtin, from Antigua;
Schooner Good-Intent, James French, from Halifax;
Schooner Sea-Flower, John Larkin, from Boſton;
Schooner Elizabeth, George Smith, from Salem.
Cleared for Departure,
Sloop Two Brothers, John Moore, for Virginia;
Sloop Unity, John Jones, for Barbados;
Sloop Cornelia, Richard Coſſey, for New-York;
Ship Friſley, George Dawie, for Briſtol;
Brigantine Achſah, John Hayward, for Leith.

JUST PUBLISHED,

To be Sold at the PRINTING-OFFICE,

THE MARYLAND ALMANACK for the Year of our LORD 1757, containing the LUNATIONS, CONJUNCTIONS, ECLIPSES, *&c. &c. &c.*

To be LET, at FREDERICK-TOWN, by the Year, or for a Term, and to be Enter'd upon the Beginning of next March,

A VERY GOOD PUBLIC-HOUSE, with all neceſſary Out Buildings, ſituated in the Middle of the Town, now in the Occupation of Mr. *William Beall*. Any Perſon inclined to Rent the ſaid Houſe, may know the Conditions, by applying to Mr. *Chriſtopher Edelen* on the Premiſſes, or from CHRISTOPHER LOWNDES.

STOLEN from the Subſcriber's Plantation, near *Herring-Creek*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, on the 4th of this Inſtant *December*, a likely Black HORSE, between 13 and 14 Hands high, branded on one of his Buttocks HC, has a Piece taken out of his left Ear, and is a natural Pacer.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, and brings him to the Subſcriber, ſhall have TWO PISTOLES Reward, and for the Diſcovery of the Thief, ſo that he may be convicted, FOUR PISTOLES, paid by ELIZABETH SANDERS.

THERE is in the Poſſeſſion of *John Philips*, living at *Sam*'s Creek, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a Bright Bay Gelding, about 7 or 8 Years old, has a Blaze in his Face, his near hind Foot white, has a ſhort Switch Tail, and a ſmall Lump under his right Eye.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD,

On THURSDAY the 20th of January *next*,

THE HOUSES and LOT in *Lower-Marlborough* belonging to Mr. *John Moffatt*, with a Parcel of LAND adjoining to the ſaid Town, containing about Thirty Acres: Alſo ſundry HOUSHOLD FURNITURE; for Bills of Exchange, or Caſh.

COLMORE BEANES, Attorney in Fact for Mr. *John Moffatt*.

THOMAS WILLIAMSON,

Living near the lower End of Green-Street, *on the Dock, in* ANNAPOLIS, *where he formerly kept Tavern*,

GIVES Public Notice, That he has again taken out Licence, and has very good Entertainment for Gentlemen or Others; and hopes for the Company of his old Friends, who may depend on good Liquors, Victuals, Beds, and Provender for their Horſes, and very good Uſage, from,

Their humble Servant,
THOMAS WILLIAMSON.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

A TRACT of LAND, ſituate about 3 Miles from *Annapolis*, on the North Side of *Severn*, containing 673 Acres, having a fine Branch running thro' it for near a Mile, very fit for Meadow Land, and about 200 of it good Wood Land. There is on the Plantation a good Dwelling-Houſe, built on a riſing Ground, with four Rooms on a Floor, a Barn, Stable, Smoke Houſe, Hen Houſe, *&c.* a very good Garden, paled Yard, and a good ſtoned Well; and a very good Orchard: The Title is indiſputable.

The Purchaſer may have Time for Payment of Part of the Purchaſe-Money, on giving Security, if required. For Terms apply to

JOHN CAMPBELL.

Likewiſe to be Sold by ſaid *Campbell* a Houſe and Lot in *Annapolis*, near to *Severn* Ferry, where he lately lived, with a good Cellar, Kitchen, Smoke Houſe, Stable, Hen Houſe, and Garden.

THE Subſcriber determining to ſettle his Affairs, without Loſs of Time, deſires all Perſons indebted to him, as Collector of his Lordſhip's Rents (in *Frederick* County), or otherwiſe, to make Payment by the tenth Day of *January* next at fartheſt, or the moſt ſpeedy Methods (the Laws admit of) will be taken for the Collection of his Claims. 3 SAMUEL BEALL.

THERE is at the Plantation of Mr. *Peter Dent*, junior, near *Piſcataway*, a ſmall Black Heifer, mark'd in the left Ear a Crop, and in the right Ear an under-bit the full Length of the Ear.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. x 2

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near *Frederick-Town*, in *Frederick* County, on the 10th of *June* laſt, a *Dutch* Servant Man, named *Michael Bower* (who could not then ſpeak a Word of *Engliſh*); he is a Baker by Trade, of a middle Size, is about 24 Years of Age, full-faced, of a brown Complexion, has grey Eyes, and a very effeminate Voice. He had on a new Felt Hat, a blue Jacket, and two Pair of Trowſers. He is ſuppoſed to be ſomewhere about *Patapſco*.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and brings him to the Subſcriber, ſhall have TWO PISTOLES Reward, beſides what the Law allows, paid by 3 NICHOLAS BUTCHER.

TO BE SOLD,

A LARGE BRICK BREW-HOUSE, ſituated on *Severn* River, in *Annapolis*, with one, two, or three Lots of Ground, with three Tenements: There are alſo a Copper and Brewing Utenſils, a large Still, *&c.* well fixed. It is fit and convenient for the Buſineſs of Malting, Brewing and Stilling; as alſo for Merchandize, as the Houſe will make a fine Warehouſe.

Alſo a Plantation near the ſaid Town, containing by Deed 120 Acres, whereon is a good Brick Houſe, with three Rooms on a Floor, a large Cellar, Kitchen, Stable, Corn-Houſe, two Gardens well paled, *&c.* It is very fit for a Public-Houſe. For Title and Terms apply to

PATRICK CREAGH.

N. B. The ſaid *Creagh* gives 3*s. per* Buſhel for Barley. 4

Virginia, November 4, 1756.

THIS is to give public Notice, That Mr. *John Ballendine* is no longer Agent for the Subſcribers at their Furnace erected at *Occoquan*, or elſewhere, and the ſuppoſed Partnerſhip between the ſaid *John Ballendine* and ourſelves is entirely diſſolved; nor has he any further Connexion with our Affairs at preſent, than to ſettle all Accounts that have accrued under his Tranſaction of our Buſineſs for the two Years laſt paſt: Therefore all Perſons are deſired to ſettle their Accounts, in order to receive or pay the reſpective Ballances, in order to a ſpeedy final Settlement of thoſe Books; and all Perſons are forewarned not to credit the ſaid *Ballendine* from this Time on Account of

JOHN TAYLOE,
6 PRESLY THORNTON.

JOHN BENNETT, in ANNAPOLIS, ſells all Sorts of manufactured TOBACCO, in ſmall or large Quantities. 21

RAN away on the 10th of *October* laſt, from the Subſcriber, living near *George-Town* on *Rock-Creek*, in *Frederick* County, a Mulatto Woman Slave, named *Kate*, who formerly belonged to Mr. *Benjamin Lane* in *Anne-Arundel* County, and bought of him laſt *June*; ſhe is a pert pallavering Wench, of a middle Size, about 30 Years old. She took with her a ſmall Black Horſe, branded on the near Buttock with a large S: And as ſhe is pretty well dreſſed may ſometimes paſs for a free Woman where ſhe is not known to be otherwiſe. It is ſuppoſed ſhe is ſecreted by a Mulatto Slave called *Jemmy* (a Carpenter by Trade), belonging to Mr. *Thomas Sprigg*, on *Weſt-River*, with the Aſſiſtance and Contrivance of ſome other Slaves in the Neighbourhood where ſhe was bought, who (it ſeems ſhe has bragg'd) had promiſed to conceal her whenever ſhe would run away from me. I underſtand ſhe has been a great Rambler, and is well known in *Calvert* and *Anne-Arundel* Counties, beſides other Parts of the Country. She may indulge herſelf a little in viſiting her old Acquaintance; but it is moſt probable ſhe will ſpend the greateſt Part of her Time with or near wherever the aforeſaid Mulatto Slave of Mr. *Sprigg*'s may be at Work.

Whoever brings the ſaid Wench to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Two Piſtoles for their Trouble, beſides a good Reward if they diſcover the Perſons that harbour her, ſo that they may be brought to Juſtice. HENRY THRELKELD.

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